

## BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

<b>IN THE MATTER OF ROCKY MOUNTAIN</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. PAC-E-21-03</b>
<b>POWER'S 2021 INTEGRATED RESOURCE</b>	)	
<b>PLAN</b>	)	<b>NOTICE OF PETITION FOR</b>
	)	<b>EXTENSION</b>
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	)	<b>NOTICE OF MODIFIED</b>
	)	<b>PROCEDURE</b>
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	)	<b>ORDER NO. 34939</b>

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On February 12, 2021, Rocky Mountain Power, a division of PacifiCorp ("Rocky Mountain Power" or "Company") petitioned the Commission to extend the filing date for its 2021 Integrated Resource Plan ("IRP") from March 31, 2021, to no later than September 1, 2021.

The Commission now issues this Notice of Petition for Extension and Notice of Modified Procedure setting deadlines for interested persons to comment on the Petition for Extension, and for the Company to reply.

### NOTICE OF PETITION FOR EXTENSION

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Company petitions the Commission to extend the filing date of its 2021 IRP from March 31, 2021 until no later than September 1, 2021.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company states it has held 12 public-input meetings on its 2021 IRP in which it has discussed topics such as resource cost-and-performance assumptions, model function and overview, load forecast, price-policy assumptions, market price assumptions, and transmission options considered as part of the 2021 IRP.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company states it has been working since the summer of 2020 to implement new modeling software for the 2021 IRP. The Company states that as of the time of filing its Petition it had not successfully completed any model runs to establish resource portfolios and evaluate costs and risks.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company states it is currently conducting its 2020 All Source Request for Proposals ("2020AS RFP"), which the Company states is scheduled to have a final shortlist by June 1, 2021. The proposed extension would allow the results of the 2020AS RFP to be incorporated in the 2021 IRP.

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YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Petition is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission's office. These documents are also available on the Commission's web site at [www.puc.idaho.gov](http://www.puc.idaho.gov). Click on the "ELECTRIC" icon, select "Open Cases," and click on the case number as shown on the front of this document.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code and specifically *Idaho Code* §§ 61-501 to 61-503.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

### **NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE**

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has determined that the public interest may not require a formal hearing on this Petition, and that it will proceed under Modified Procedure pursuant to Rules 201 through 204 of the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201 through .204. The Commission notes that Modified Procedure and written comments have proven to be an effective means for obtaining public input and participation.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons desiring to state a position on this Petition may file a written comment explaining why the person supports or opposes the Petition. Persons who would like a hearing must specifically request a hearing in their written comments. **Persons interested in filing written comments must do so within twenty-one (21) days of the service date of this Order.** Comments must be filed through the Commission website or by e-mail unless computer access is unavailable. To comment electronically, please access the Commission's home page at [www.puc.idaho.gov](http://www.puc.idaho.gov). Click the "Case Comment Form" and complete the form using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. To file by e-mail, the customer must e-mail the comments to the e-mail addresses listed below. In addition to submitting the comments to the Commission Secretary, the customer must also e-mail the Company at the e-mail addresses listed below. If computer access is unavailable, then comments may be mailed to the Commission and Company at these addresses:

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Comments should contain the case caption and case number shown on the first page of this document. Persons desiring to submit comments via e-mail may do so by accessing the Commission's home page located at [www.puc.idaho.gov](http://www.puc.idaho.gov). Click the "Case Comment Form" and complete the comment form using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. These comments must also be sent to the Petitioner.

**YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company must file any reply comments within 28 days of the service date of this Order.**

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that if no written comments or protests are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider this Petition on its merits and enter its order without a formal hearing. If written comments are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider them and, in its discretion, may set the same for formal hearing.


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## ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Company's Petition for Extension be processed by Modified Procedure, Rule 201-204 (IDAPA 31.01.01.201-.204). Persons interested in filing written comments must do so within twenty-one (21) days of the service date of this Order. The Company must file any reply comments within twenty-eight (28) days of the service date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that parties should continue to comply with Order No. 34781, issued September 17, 2020. All pleadings should be filed with the Commission electronically and shall be deemed timely filed when received by the Commission Secretary. *See* Rule 14.02. Service between parties should also be accomplished electronically. Voluminous discovery-related documents may be filed and served on CD-ROM or a USB flash drive.

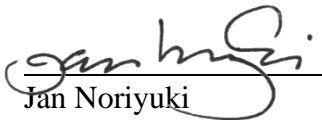
DONE by order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 2021.

  
PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

  
KRISTINE RAPER, COMMISSIONER

  
ERIC ANDERSON, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

  
Jan Noriyuki  
Commission Secretary

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